

Sinclair Broadcasting should not choose partisanship over a broadcaster's duty to be unbiased and truthful to the public. Shame on them for plans to air "Stolen Honor" with its unsubstantiated claims against Senator Kerry. Preempting regular programming to smear this biased information is wrong. This is anti-Kerry spin from, POWs for Truth merged with the Swift Boat Vets, now Swift Vets, and Carlton Sherwood, a consultant to the Bush administration's Department of Homeland Security and a personal friend of the department's head, Tom Ridge.

This is just one more of a long list of corporate media actions that have no place in a democracy. Oh yeah, I forgot we don't have a democracy anymore because our vote doesn't count, we no longer have control of our airwaves, and the truth is not what the media is telling. It is clear that across the board all of the major media corporations are censoring the news to keep certain people in power and while stifling the public. Why are the corporate powers allowed to brainwash the American people?

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you.